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Applicant : Raaijmakers et al.
 App. No. : 09/887,199
 Filed : June 21, 2001
 For : TRENCH ISOLATION FOR
 INTEGRATED CIRCUIT
 Examiner : Mai
 Art Unit : 2814

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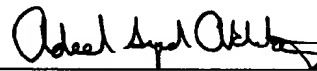
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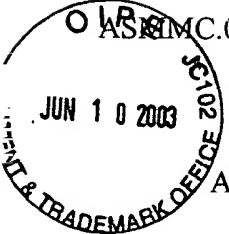
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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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Dear Sir:

The present paper is submitted in response to the Final Office Action mailed on April 9, 2003. As the present amendment is believed to place the application in condition for allowance, Applicants respectfully request its entry and consideration of the subsequent remarks.

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